

# YEARBOOK 2017

# LearnEnglish Websites

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THE WORLD AROUND US

*Congratulations and thank you to all of our students who have contributed to this Yearbook. Creativity is one of the British Council's five core values, and it's great to see this embraced and demonstrated so superbly through your work. Next year will be our 80th anniversary in Romania – since 1938 we've been connecting Romania and Britain through the English language, through Arts events, and through educational exchanges. We are proud of the achievements of everyone we work with, including of course our English language students. And so I'm delighted that this Yearbook provides such an excellent record of the imagination and skills of our 'class of 2017'. Thank you for choosing to study with us. I hope your experience with us has been the start of your lifelong friendship with the UK and the British Council!*

*With best wishes,  
Nigel*

Nigel Bellingham, Country Director

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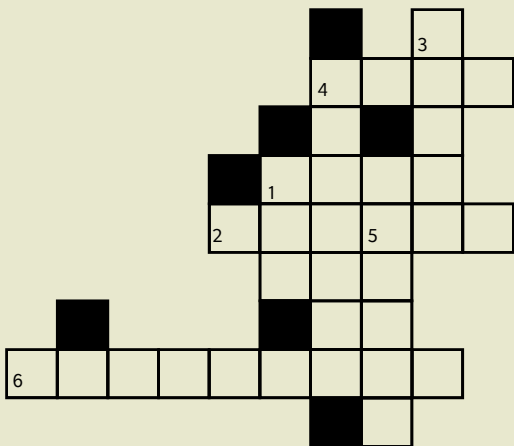
# ANIMALS

Here’s a selection of work that shows how students learn English by studying ... or even inventing ... animals.



Riana J5

## TRY THIS ANIMALS CROSSWORD!



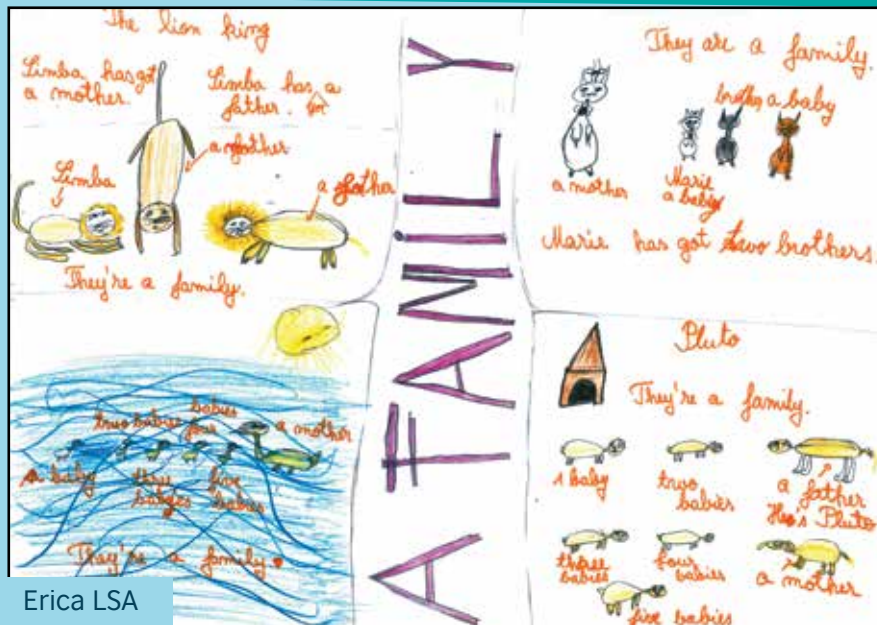
- 1.It’s a domestic animal, and it gives a lot of milk.
- 2.It’s a wild animal, it’s favourite food is bananas.
- 3.It’s a domestic animal that is tall and very strong.
- 4.It’s a wild animal that is called ‘the king of the jungle’.
- 5.It’s a wild animal that is very nice and its eats eucalyptus.
- 6.It’s a wild animal that is green and long. It lives in water and it’s got lots of teeth.

Answers: 1. Cow, 2. Monkey, 3. Horse, 4. Lion, 5. Koala, 6. Crocodile

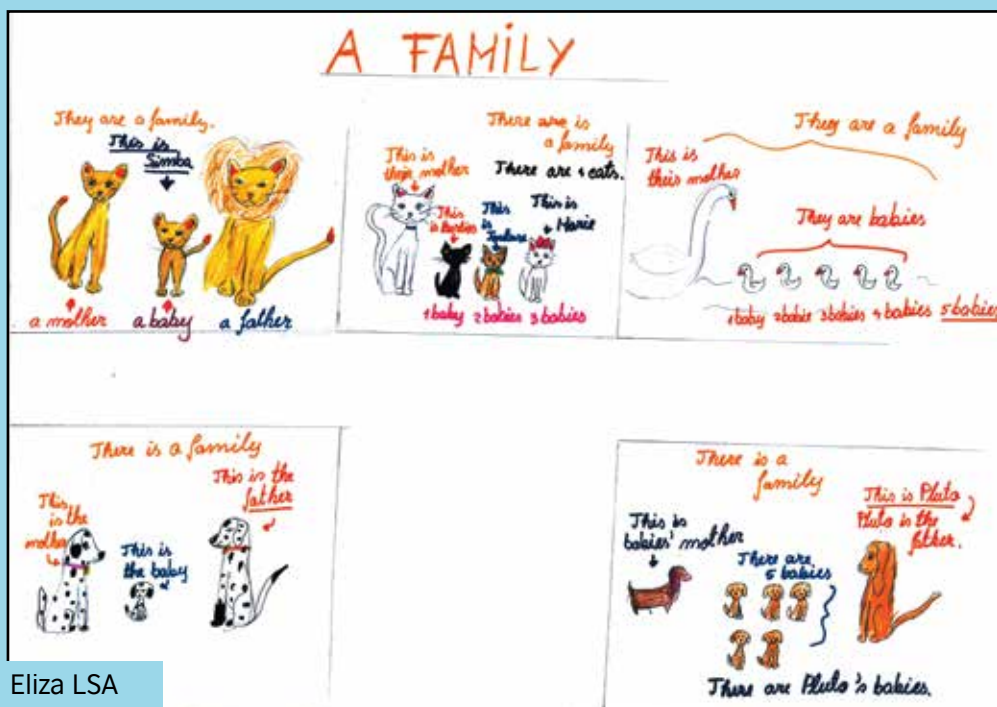
Filip, J5

# ANIMAL FAMILIES

Animals in happy families



Erica LSA



Eliza LSA

## UNDER THE SEA

Our J3s invented some weird and wonderful sea creatures



It's got a kendama head and an octopus's body and tail too. It eats blobfish and sharks. It lives in salt water near the bottom. It is very very big. It's so colourful. It's like a rainbow.

Bianca

Bianca J3

This is the puff rainbow. It's a small an coloured fish. It's 20cm long. It lives in fairy land, in the magic river, 1m – 20m deep. It eats shells and algae. It's go ta rainbow body and fins. It's a beautiful fish!

Mara



Mara J3



HAND PAINTED ANIMALS



Victor, Aniela, Tudor, Cezar, Carla, Ciprian, Andrei and Ana Sophia EY

SEA CREATURES WORDSEARCH

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q	s	a	t	c	f	m	v	j	w	f	d
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m	h	j	s	h	p	r	m	m	b	l	w
w	h	a	l	e	n	k	l	u	i	a	e
k	f	i	s	h	d	q	b	d	g	m	e
q	v	k	j	a	l	k	o	q	s	s	d

Answers: starfish, whale, fish, jellyfish, crab, eel, shark, octopus, clam, seaweed

Can you find nine animals and one plant? They all live in the sea.

Rares, J5

Do you have any pets?  
Some of our students  
wrote about theirs.

Do you like dogs? There are some rules. This is very important. Follow the advice!

You should wash your dog two times of week.

You shouldn't go outside with your dog when it is raining or stormy.

Always give some food to your dog.

Never kick your dog.

Don't be angry with your dog!



Ilone J3

Mara J3

How to you day care?

Do you like dogs? Here are some rules.

A dog is very important. Follow this advice.

- You should play with the dog.
- You shouldn't feed milk to your dog.
- Always give your dog a bath.
- Never let dog drink tea.
- You should feed dog food.





old Vasile had a farm ...

Old Vasile had a farm

1) Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O

And on his farm he had a treehouse E-i-E-i-O

With a climb climb here and a swing swing there  
Everywhere a climb swing

Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O



2) Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O

And on his farm he had some flying cats E-i-E-i-O

With a fly fly here and a fly fly there

Everywhere a fly fly

Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O



3) Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O

And on his farm he had a phone shop E-i-E-i-O

With a click click here and a click click there

Everywhere a click click

Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O



4) Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O

And on his farm he had a funny dog E-i-E-i-O

With a laugh laugh here and a laugh laugh there

Everywhere a laugh laugh

Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O



5) Old Vasile had a farm E-i-E-i-O

And on his farm he had a party E-i-E-i-O

With some fun fun here and some fun fun there

Everywhere some fun fun

Old Vasile had a farm

E-i-E-i-O!



Maria J3

## AMAZING ANIMALS FACT QUIZ

Test your knowledge of animals

1. How many hearts has an octopus got?

(a) 1 (b) 4 (c) 3

2. What weight is an adult elephant?

(a) more than four tonnes

(b) 900 kilogrammes

(c) two tonnes

3. What height is an average adult giraffe?

(a) 2 metres (b) 6 metres (c) 10 metres

4. How many teeth does a great white shark have?

(a) 100 (b) 200 (c) 300

5. How fast can a cheetah run?

(a) 80 kilometres per hour

(b) 115 kilometres per hour

(c) 165 kilometres per hour

6. How many people can one venom drop from an Australian taipan snake kill?

(a) 40 (b) 60 (c) 100

Laurentiu

Answers: 1.c, 2.a, 3.b, 4.c, 5.b, 6.c

# ON A BEAR HUNT

Our J2s went on a bear hunt, and here's what they had to say about it.



Delia J2



Maria J2

Here are some fantastic beasts created by some of our LSB2 students

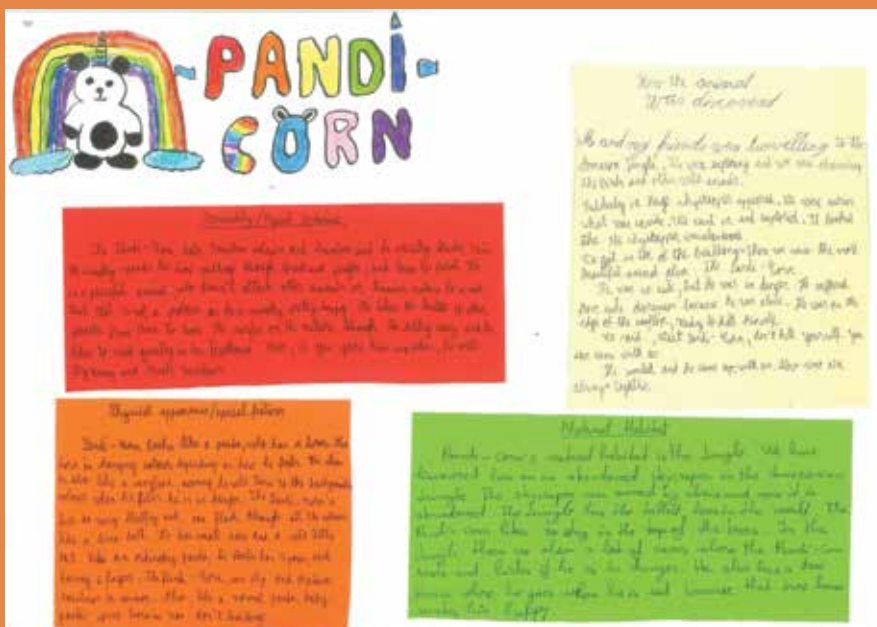
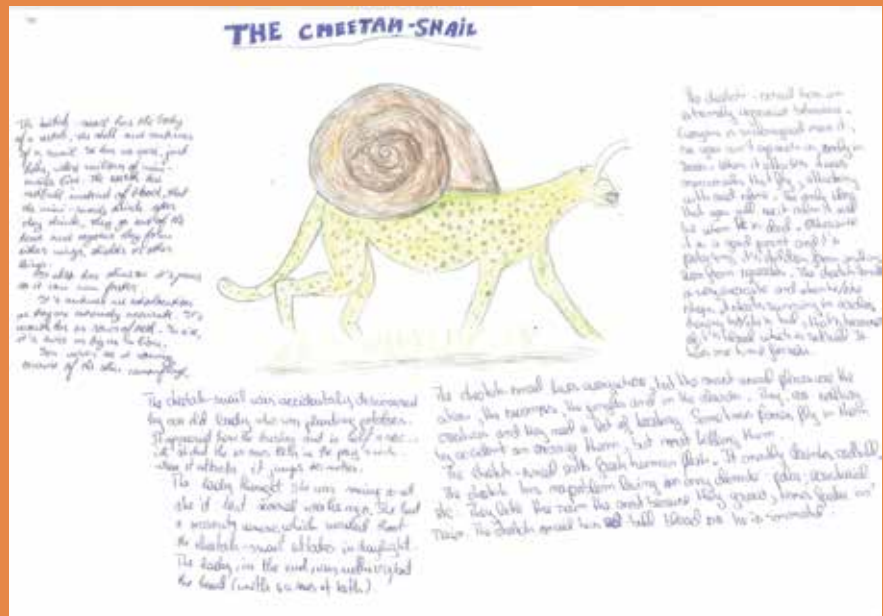
The cheetah snail has the body of a cheetah and the shell and antennae of a snail. It has no ears, just holes where millions of mini-snails live...

It was accidentally discovered by an old lady who was planting potatoes.

The cheetah-snail lives everywhere, but the most common places are the cities, the swamps, and the jungles. They are solitary creatures and they need a lot of territory.

The cheetah-snail has Red Bull for blood, so he is immortal!

Matei, Andrei,  
Razvan and Tudor, LSB2



The pandi-corn eats rainbow colours and bamboo, and usually drinks rain. He usually spends his time walking through forests and jungle, and he loves to paint. He is a peaceful animal who doesn't attack other animals or humans unless he is sad. But that's not a problem as he is usually pretty happy. He likes to levitate to other planets from time to time. He travels on meteors through the Milky Way, and he likes to read in his treehouse. Also, if you give him cupcakes, he will fly away and create rainbows.

Tania, Alex,  
Calin and Thomas, LSB2



TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF WOLVES AND BEARS

WOLF QUIZ

- 1.What are young wolves not called?  
(a)kits (b) cubs (c) pups (d) whelps
- 2.Why do wolves howl?  
(a)to entice mates  
(b) to confuse prey  
(c) to communicate long distances  
(d) all of the above
- 3.How fast can a grey wolf run?  
(a)5 miles per hour  
(b) 12 miles per hour  
(c) 22 miles per hour  
(d) 38 miles per hour
- 4.True or false. The DNA of wolves and dogs is almost identical.  
(a)True (b) False
- 5.Grey wolves were successfully introduced into which national park in the USA?  
(a)Denali  
(b) Rocky Mountains  
(c) Yellowstone  
(d) Yosemite

Answers:1.a, 2.c, 3.d, 4.a, 5.c

Filip J5

BEARS QUIZ

- 1.What do pandas eat most of the time?  
(a)fruit (b) bamboo (c) grass
- 2.What do koala bears usually eat?  
(a)eucalyptus leaves (b) grass (c) cranberries
- 3.What colour are pandas?  
(a)black (b) white (c) black and white
- 4.What is a red panda?  
(a)a bear (b) a cat (c) a racoon
- 5.In what country does the red panda live?  
(a)Korea (b) Japan (c) China

Answers:1.b, 2.a, 3.c, 4.c, 5.c

Sofia and Ilinca LSA2

ANIMAL RIDDLES

I'm a cute animal.  
I love bananas.  
I live in zoos or jungles.  
Now, I'm lost and I don't know who I am.  
Help me!

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Daria LSA1

I'm a soft and fuzzy pet  
I have four legs and a long tail  
I have sharp teeth and claws  
I like to chase mice


Answer: cat

Rares LSA1

# DINOSAURS

... and some fantasy dinosaurs created by our J4 students

*Gimnasticosaurus*



Lived: *Gimnasticosaurus* lived *100* million years ago.

Food: It was a dinosaur that ate *gymnastics instruments*.

Length: It was about *5* metres long.

Height: It was about *17* metres tall.

Weight: It weighed about *1* tonnes.


Other interesting facts:

It could *make gymnastics and play with gymnastics instruments*.

It couldn't *eat more than four instruments and it couldn't play with lego*.

Gimnasticosaurus lived 100 million years ago. It was a dinosaur that ate gymnastics instruments. It was 5 metres long and about 17 metres tall. It couldn't eat more than four gymnastics instruments and it couldn't play with lego.

Ilinca J4



Lived: *The Bunnysaur* lived *652* million years ago.

Food: It was a dinosaur that ate *strawberries*.

Length: It was about *3* metres long.

Height: It was about *0.5* metres tall.

Weight: It weighed about *0.1 (100 kg)* tonnes.

Other interesting facts:

It could *fly, swim, play and run*.

It couldn't *speak Romanian, do maths or cry*.

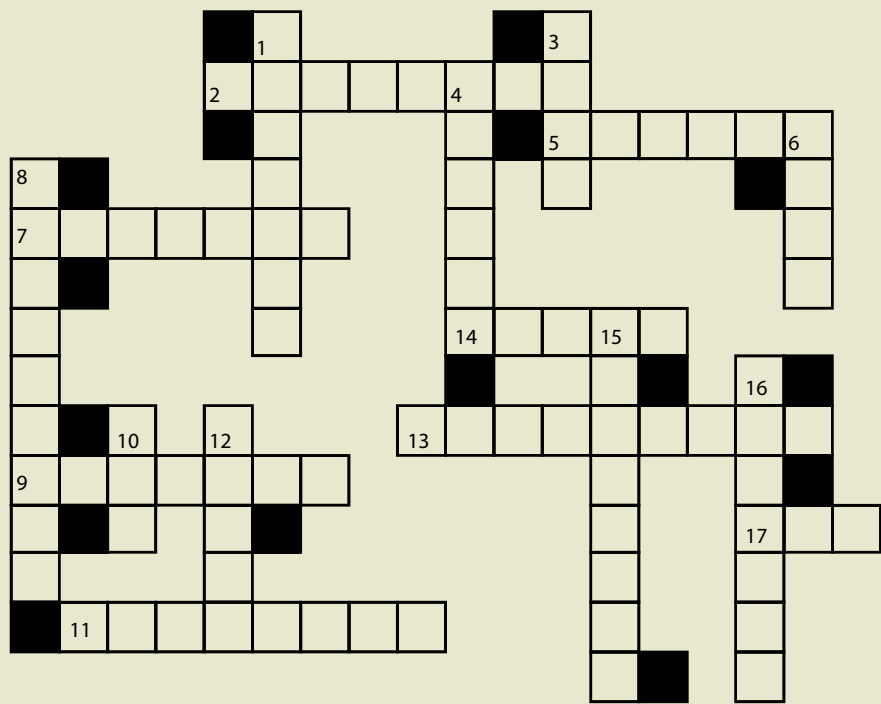
*It has a very fluffy tail and long ears. It has six legs*

*It is a cute dinosaur!*

The Bunnysaur lived 635 million years ago. It was a dinosaur that ate strawberries. It could fly, swim, play and run. It couldn't speak Romanian, do maths or cry. It had a very fluffy tail and long ears. It's a cute dinosaur!

Irina J4

HAVE A GO AT THIS ANIMALS CROSSWORD!



- 1.I swim underwater. I’m known as a cat.

2.What jumps when it walks and sits when it stands?

3.I howl at the moon.

4.I jump every time I see a carrot.

5.I’m small and green as a leaf. My tongue is like a snake’s tongue.
- 6.I live on a lake and my liver is known as foie gras.

7.I have a black suit and I live on an iceberg.

8.I’m Phineas and Ferb’s pet.

9.My plumage is colourful.

10.I’m the dog’s first enemy.

Answers: 1.Catfish, 2.Kangaroo, 3. Wolf, 4. Rabbit, 5. Lizard, 6. Duck, 7. Penguin, 8. Platypus, 9.Peacock, 10. Cat, 11. Reindeer, 12. Robin, 13. Chameleon, 14. Tiger, 15. Elephant, 16. Dolphin

Mara and Clara LSB1



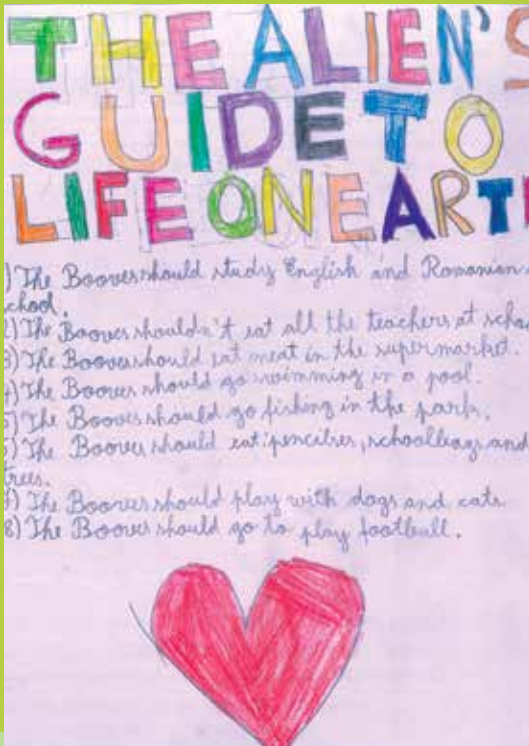
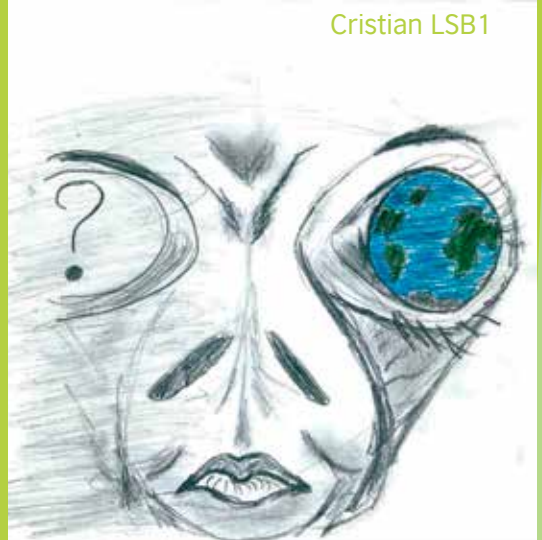
# ALIENS

... and some of our students also did some work on visitors from other galaxies

Eveline LSA



Cristian LSB1



Aliens visiting Earth ...

- should study English and Romanian at school.
- shouldn't eat all the teachers at school.
- should eat meat in the supermarket.
- should go swimming in a pool.
- should eat pencils, schoolbags and trees
- should play with dogs and cats.
- should go to play football.

Beatrice J3

# AROUND THE WORLD

As you can see, our students' studies this year took them all around the world



Bianca LSA1

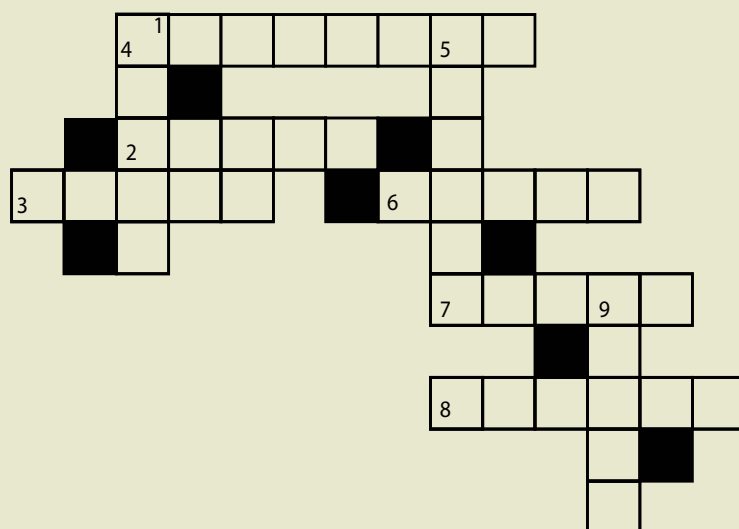
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Can you find nine countries in the wordsearch?

All of them are either horizontal (➡) or vertical (⬇).

Answers: France, Italy, England, Mexico, Finland, India, China, Canada, Denmark,

Ana Maria J2



1. The country of Fado music.
2. The city where the Colosseum is.
3. The country of the panda bear.
4. The city where you can see the Eiffel Tower.
5. The city where you'd find the Acropolis.
- 6 .Mount Everest is in this country.
- 7.The country of flamenco music.
8. Big ben is in this city.
9. The country where you'd find the Taj Mahal.

Answers: 1. Portugal, 2. Rome, 3. China, 4. Paris, 5. Athens, 6. Nepal, 7. Spain, 8. London, 9. India

Vlad LSA1



Do you like travelling? As you can see, our students do! Here are a few postcards, emails and travel articles they created.

## A Trip Back In Time

One of the places that I've definitely enjoyed and would recommend to anyone without a doubt is Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria. It's one of those perfect weekend trip tourist spots that you'd visit to escape the clamour and chatter of the city, even if just for a little while. It's quite close to the border town of Ruse, and it's known to be one of the oldest villages on the country. Its history dates back to more than five thousand years ago, according to archaeological excavations. It is situated in the valley of the river Yantra.

In 1185 the town was selected to be a capital and has quickly developed since. During the 12th-14th centuries it became the most unconquerable Bulgarian fortress.

When you first walk out of the car into the warm summer air you only notice a slight breeze disturbing the silence of the city, rustling the leaves of nearby olive trees. You feel as if you've travelled a few centuries back in time. You place your feet onto the dusty pathway, look around at the old buildings beckoning you to explore the streets that lie behind them as you breathe in the smell of old and new. The city seems to invite you in, let you find out its well-kept secrets. The atmosphere is completely

different from what you're used to, but that's what so interesting about it. You're surrounded by medieval streets filled with quiet gift shops, craft shops and eye-catching galleries. If you walk high enough, on one of the three hills, (Tsaravets, Trapezitsa, Sveta Gora) you'll find a wonderful panoramic view of the whole city.

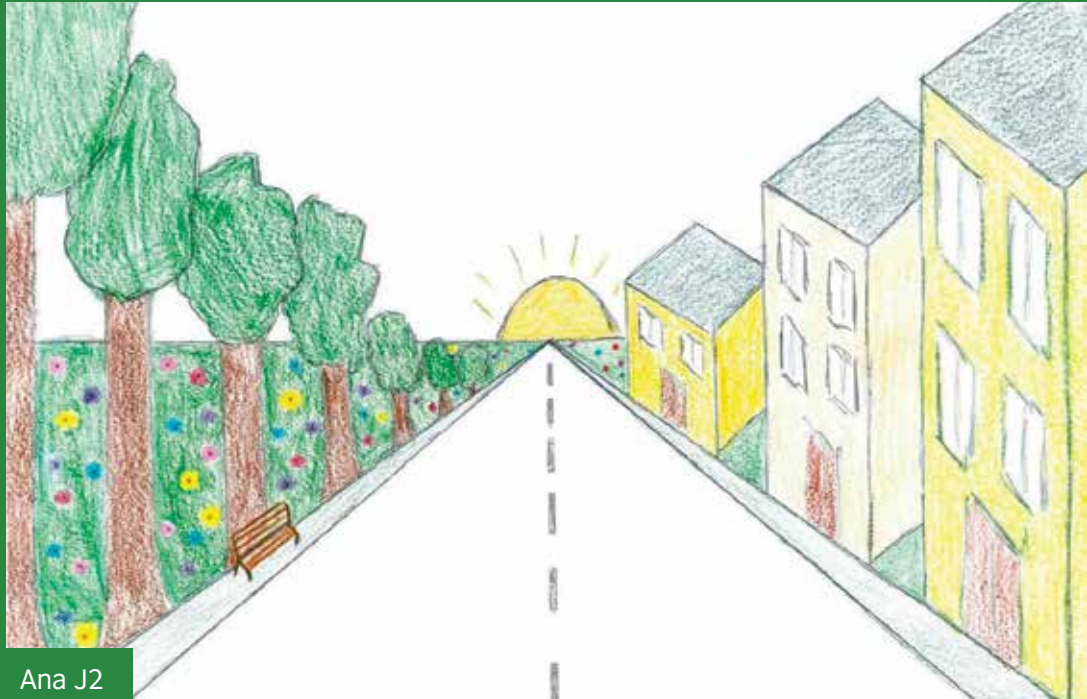
If you're interested in more scientific attractions you could visit the Archaeological Museum. If you want to go sightseeing the best place to visit is the archaeological reserve Nikopolis Ad Istrum, a Roman and early Byzantine town, founded by Emperor Trajan in 106 AD, located about 20 km away from Veliko Tarnovo.

On March 22nd, the official day of the city, there's a free performance of 'Sound and Light' on Tsaravets Hill. It tells the history of Bulgaria through stunning audio-visuals which can be seen in the evening. If you're visiting in another season and are dying to see the lights you can always request a paid performance. Veliko Tarnovo's unique architecture, incredible local hospitality, rich history of landmarks and breathtaking views will make you want to return for a second city break. You'll find you'll have a lovely time in this picturesque city.

Anastasia USC2



Ioana PJ3



Ana J2

## Thessaloniki where history and parties meet

Thessaloniki, a Greek port city on the Thermaic Gulf of the Aegean Sea and also a great reminder of the glorious empires of Europe from Ancient Rome to the Oriental Ottoman realm.

This is how I describe the ideal place for a city break. Entering the metropolis, going through the busy centre, heading straight for the well-known market of Thessaloniki, which is regarded by many as a tourist attraction. There, the loud voices of the merchants, the pleasant smell of a wide variety of spices as well as the fine taste of pure olives and goat cheese exemplify the Greek spirit at its finest, surrounded by the tunes of the best oriental music.

Thessaloniki is Greece's second major economic, industrial and commercial centre thanks to its opening to the Aegean Sea. The city is renowned for the vast historical ruins that passed through time, such as the Roman Forum, a large two-terraced forum dug up by accident in the 1960s, and the Arch of Galerius, built to celebrate the victory of the tetrarch Galerius over the Persians.

If we think about the modern leisure that

Thessaloniki has to offer, they are represented by the numerous small and stylish cafes and bars by the sea and also by the cultural festivals such as the Thessaloniki International Film Festival.

This symbiosis of the historical and the modern parts of the city is what makes it so special and attractive for tourists.

Want to know more about the stunning history of the city? Go to the archaeological Museum of Thessaloniki or the Museum of Byzantine Culture and engage on a trip through different eras alongside emperors and Hellenic warriors.

When it comes to culinary tastes, spices play an important role. Because of the Mediterranean hot climate, olives, grapes and cheese are the defining elements of Thessaloniki's cuisine as well as the Turkish pastry, thanks to the Ottoman influence.

The nightlife is not to be ignored. This Greek city's vibrant urban culture and clubs rank Thessaloniki among the ultimate party cities in Europe.

To sum up, I recommend this city to anyone who wants a little bit of everything because no one can resist the breeze of the sea and Greece's good vibes.

Pati USC2

Learning about different cultures is very important, and really interesting too!

Mihnea J5 CH



## The path to becoming a Shaolin Monk

Mortal Kombat and Xiaolin Showdown are things that came to mind whenever I thought of Shaolin Monks. That isn't until I heard of Matthew Ahmet, a Brit who managed to shave his eyebrows and embrace the art of Kung Fu.

What made him become a Shaolin Monk?

When he was young, Matthew loved watching Bruce Lee one-inch punching the life out of his opponents. His love for martial arts was about to be satiated when the first TV shows depicting Shaolin life aired in the UK. This is what made him give up the comfort of his home and join their ranks.

The norms of becoming a Shaolin monk

To me, waking up at 5am and training for ten hours on end is worse than being forced to attend church on Sundays. However, this was the norm Matthew had to obey in China. Being late by 5 seconds was nothing less than the worst option possible, because your master

would either cane you, or make you hold a headstand for hours, which might have made Matthew reconsider his choice.

Later years and present

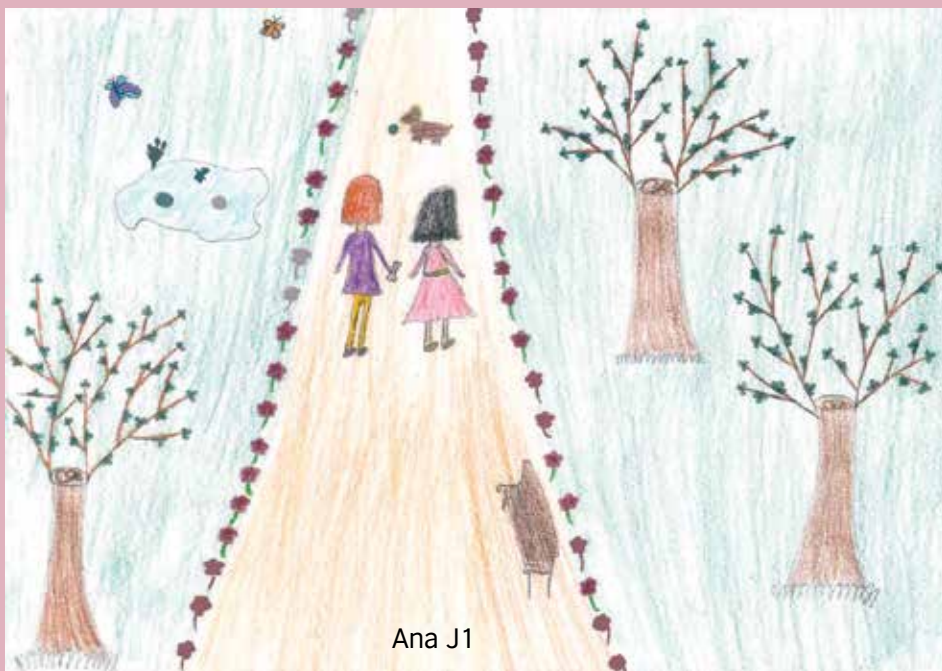
After years of hard work and sweating, Matthew completed his goal of becoming what he had always dreamed of: a Shaolin monk. One of his greatest personal achievements is undoubtedly appearing on the same TV show that had inspired him years before. Today, he runs his own Kung Fu dojo in London.

Conclusion

All in all, we can say that Ahmet's story is nothing short of astonishing. By listening to his story, we can deduce the message of Kung Fu ourselves, which is not giving up on your desires. Of course, becoming Shaolin depends solely on you.

Tudor and Rares USC2





Ana J1

## Bhutan

Small and remote but full of life, Bhutan is the happiest country in the world, the last Buddhist kingdom placed high in the Himalayas. Despite being located in the shade of two giants, India and China, Bhutan strikes every foreigner with its strong personality.

### Language

I bet you have never heard of Dzongkha, their national language, but no worries, they are fluent English speakers, as their education policy is to never stop learning.

### In the pursuit of inner peace.

Everyday is a new chance of learning how to live life at its fullest, not only to survive the modern life challenges. Even if they're in contact with the latest technology they don't really care about TV, radio or internet. Would you be able to live life without your daily dose of Kardashians' drama?

### Endless care for nature

Guess what's their way of celebrating the birth of a new royal family member. I'm sure that planting 100 000 trees was not among your thoughts. What's

more, you won't have any difficulty in finding a national park, as 60% of the land is forested. Bhutan also has the honourable title of being the last remaining carbon negative country in the world.

### Meeting celebrities

If you want to play basketball or even buy some groceries from the local market, be ready to bump into the Prince of Bhutan doing his jogging in your neighbourhood. He will certainly smile to you and even have a short chat.

### The perfect place for lazy people

Find yourself a nice job in Bhutan and you won't have to worry about not having enough free time. You'll have to work only a few hours every day and you can get more than eight hours of sleep every night. Sweet dreams!

### Conditions of living

You can't escape the stress of being tested, as the GNH (Gross National Happiness) will annually evaluate if your level of happiness stays at the maximum. Yes, GNH is a genuine institution.

Pati and Ilinca USC2

Can you find the buried treasure?



Camelia J2

Portfolio unit 6. My Treasure Map.

Name: Captain Patricia

Patricia J2

**The Key**

- HOUSE
- BRIDGE
- BEACH
- MOUNTAIN
- FOREST
- AIRPORT
- HOSPITAL
- SCHOOL
- CINEMA
- BEACH

**How to find the treasure?**

To find my treasure, you must go in mountains because in those there is indication. You slip and fall. You must take the airplane. With it, you go in hospital. You must go to school. In the school's garden there is a man. He has got another indication. In the indication writes you must go in the forest and you must stay there one week. You go outside and you see a bridge. You go on the bridge and you see the treasure.



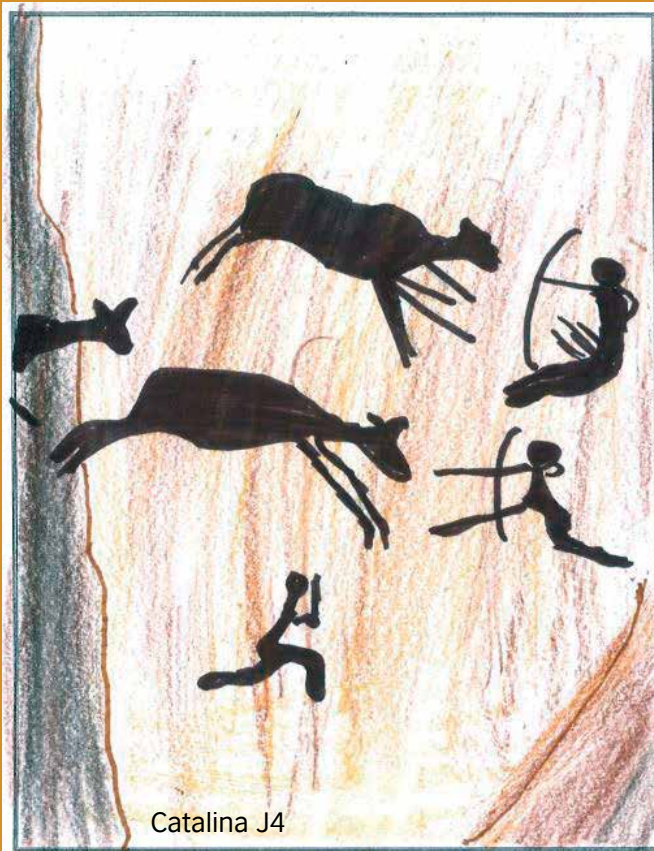
# CAVE PAINTINGS

As you can see, our student's work didn't just take them around the world, it also took them back in time, to create some cave paintings.

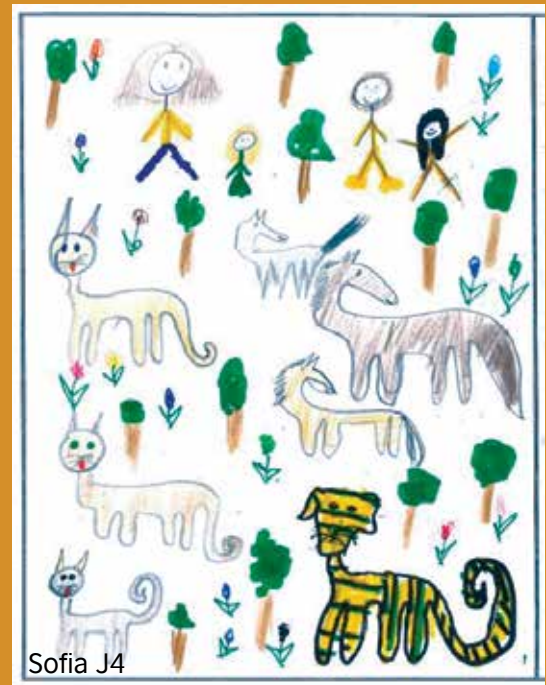


This is a cave painting that represents a hand from the Stone Age. This is perhaps the hand-print of the artist. He used the colors yellow, brown and black. At that time there were no brushes so he used a stick.

Micaela J4



Catalina J4

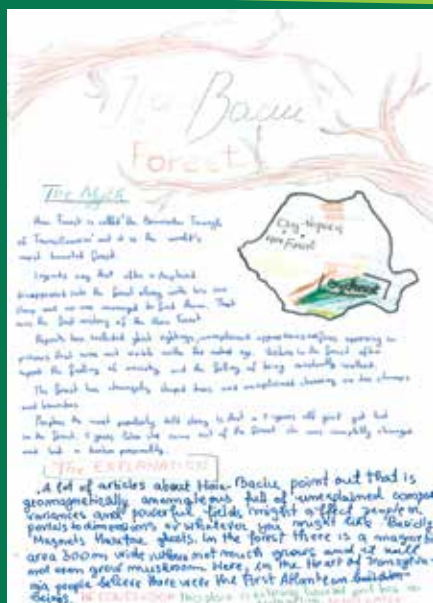


Sofia J4

This is my cave painting. There are three cats, two horses, one tiger and four people. In the picture there is a forest with a lot of flowers and trees. People have got a German shepherd. It is beautiful. One cat has got blue eyes and it is orange. One cat has got green eyes and it is brown and one cat has got black eyes and it is grey.



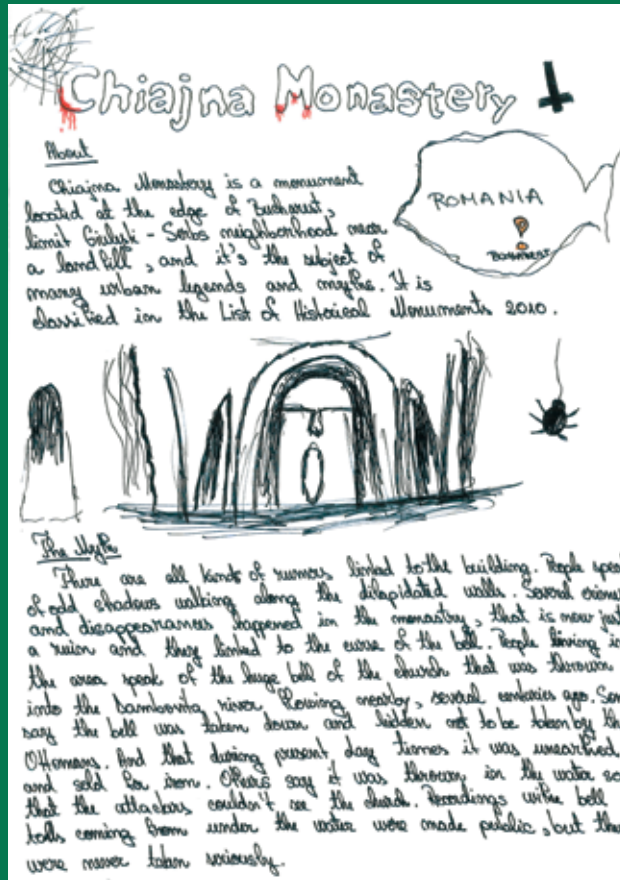
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Hai LSB1



Tea, Clara LSB1

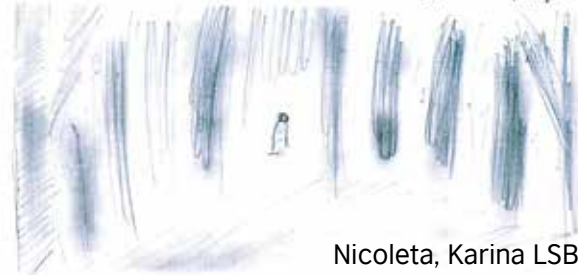


## Headless Bride from the TRIVALE FOREST

The Trivale Forest is located in the Argeș County, Pitești. There is a legend about a maiden, daughter of a rich man, who loved a poor servant of her father.

Her father found a rich man for her to marry, but during the wedding day, she ran with the servant in the forest, but her father found them and killed her lover and then beheaded her.

Now, the "Headless Bride" is supposed to haunt the forest. Until these days, in the forest were found about fifteen couples hanging in the trees. Even though the bride wasn't supposed to harm anyone, she still terrifies many people.



Nicoleta, Karina LSB1

# NATURE

Do you find nature inspiring? It certainly inspired some of our students to create some thoughtful and imaginative work.

Diana LSA1



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s i c m o o n h o o m n o  
j i c o r n o u c o c u s  
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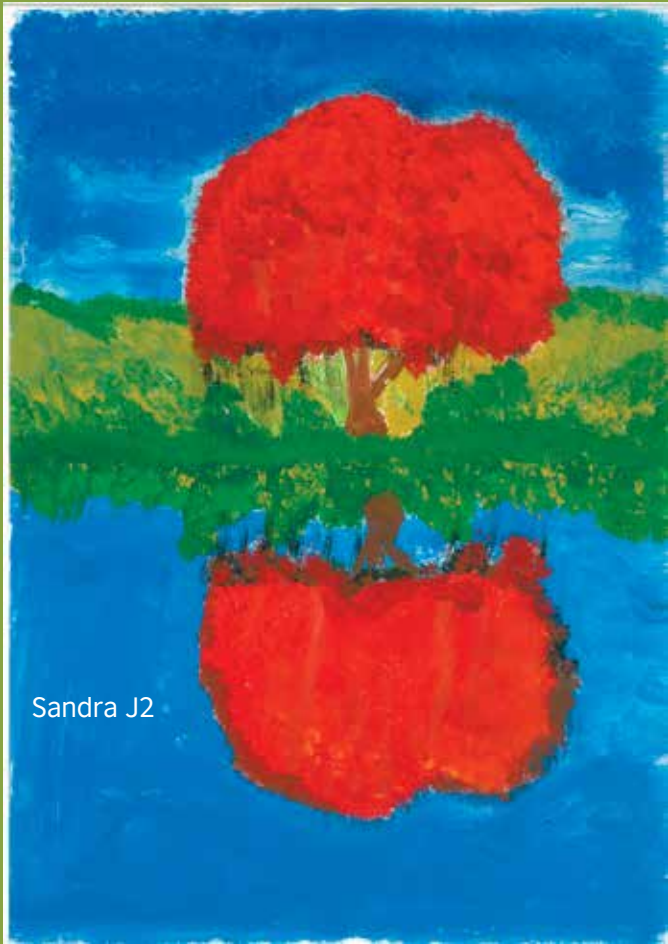
Can you find nine words connected with nature?

Answers: Summer, Moon, Sun, Trees, Grass, Rain, Mountain, Snow, Autumn

Ilinca J2

# AUTUMN LEAVES

As you can see, our EYP2 students got creative with autumn leaves...



Sandra J2





Our students learn how important the environment is, and how we can protect it. Here are a few articles they wrote about endangered species.



# Panda

**Information:**  
Giant pandas are bears that are native to China, where they are considered a national treasure. Even with this exalted status, pandas are endangered: only about 1500 live in the wild and 450 in zoos around the world.



## How can we help?

In my opinion people must make a penalty for killing not only pandas but every endangered animal. We should stop being so selfish and think of something more different than ourselves.

## Why should we help?

Pandas can spread bamboo seeds all over the world, which not only protects bamboo forests, but also the wealth of species that live in them. We'll be providing a lifetime for a host of other endangered animals. We're helping to safeguard the broader environment, which so many people and animals depend on.

Desi LSB2

Andra LSB2

# Save the ELEPHANTS!


Throughout history, the elephant has played important roles in human life. In Asia, elephants served as beasts of burden in war and peace. Some civilizations regarded elephants as gods, and they have been symbols of royalty for some. They have entertained us in circuses and festivals around the world. But for centuries, the elephant's massive tusks have been prized for their ivory.

Demand for ivory, combined with habitat loss, has led to a dramatic decline in the elephant populations in the last few decades. In 1930, there were almost 10 million elephants. By 1992, there were 1.3 million. In 1997, when they were added to the international list of the most endangered species, there were about 500,000 remaining—less than 1% of their original number. Today, there are no more than 50,000 left.

**Behavior & Family:** Elephants have strong family ties. They are very social, and they always stay in contact with each other, even over great distances using sounds well below the human range of hearing.

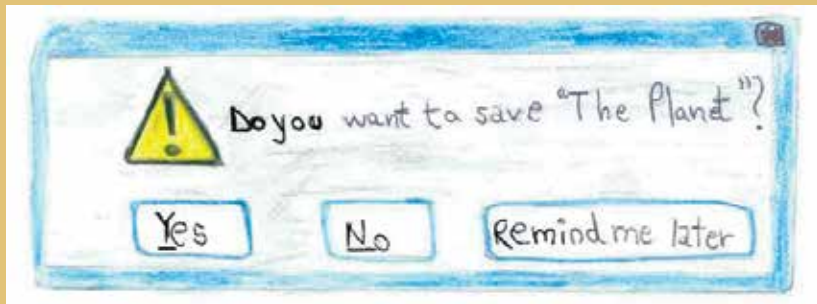
Hunting elephants is no more legal in many African countries, but poaching was widespread until very recently. In an economic collapse, ivory became more valuable than gold. Too many farmers turn that same, the high price of ivory, about \$100 a pound in the 1980's was too tempting to resist. They could make more money by selling the tusks of one elephant than they could make in a dozen or years of farming.

Conservation actions: There are many national parks in reserves in Africa, where elephant habitat is protected. However, the parks are not large enough and are too isolated to each other to allow populations to recover. The solution proposed by me is to link all the refuges by corridors, to allow seasonal migration and genetic exchange.



Save me! →






Mara LSA1

Save the butterflies

In the world, there are over millions species of butterflies. Lots of people love putting them in frames for their beautiful and colorful wings.



The rarest butterfly is the Apollo and there are only 12 left.

**Butterflies deserve a life like you!**

If you use any kind of butterfly on expositions or just kill one to put it in a frame they will be serious consequences.

**FOR KILLING 1 BUTTERFLY:** You'll have to wear clown colorful clothes for one week.

**FOR KILLING 2 BUTTERFLIES:** You'll do community service in a butterfly's killers prison.

**FOR KILLING 3 BUTTERFLIES:** You'll have to dye your hair purple and write with capital letters "BUTTERFLY 3 KILLER" on your forehead.

**FOR KILLING 4 OR MORE BUTTERFLIES:** You'll simply go to prison or get killed (you choose).

In the world, there are millions of species of butterflies. Lots of people love putting them in frames for their beautiful colourful wings.

OTHER CONSEQUENCES:

**TV BUTTERFLY**


The ~~color~~ powder on the butterfly wings **POISON**

The butterfly's wings are covered by a kind of powder made by lots of ~~small~~ **poison**.

If you smell it and then you'll have ~~headache~~ **poison**. You touch it and then you'll have ~~skin~~ **poison**.

**Butterfly Lovers**

To escape from the butterfly's killer prison you'll have to run a marathon without stopping (the first one at the finish line is the winner) the marathon is made twice at 8 years. Only one person can win the liberty.



**SAVE THE BUTTERFLIES**

The rarest butterfly is the Apollo, and there are only twelve left.  
Butterflies deserve a life like you!

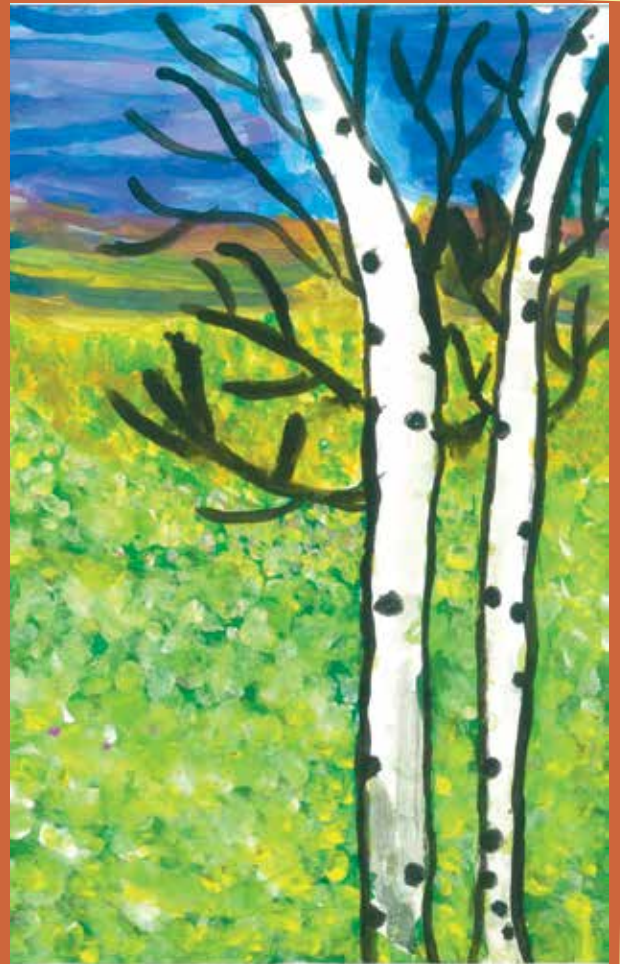
Iulia LSB2

## TREES AND TREEHOUSES

Beautiful to look at, vital for the planet, and fun for building treehouses in!



Antonia J1



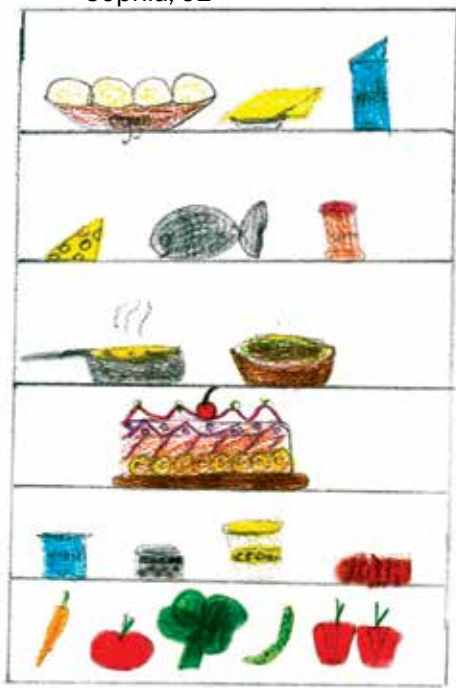
Balaussa LSA1



# FOOD

What's your favourite food? Our students certainly have a lot to say on the topic of food, and here's some of their work.

Sophia, J2



My fridge

1. My fridge is in the kitchen.
2. There are eggs in my fridge.
3. There is also butter on the top shelf.
4. There is a bottle of milk in my fridge.
5. There is cheese on the second top shelf.
6. There is also fish on that shelf.
7. There is a pot of soup in my fridge.
8. There is a pot with soup in my fridge.
9. There is fruit salad in a bowl.
10. There is a birthday cake in my fridge.
11. There is some yogurt in my fridge.
12. There are also olives in my fridge.
13. There is cream next to olives.
14. There is salmon in my fridge.
15. There are vegetables on the bottom shelf.

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Can you find eight kinds of food?

Answers: Apple, Lemon, Meat, Cake, Kiwi, Cherry, Pizza, Orange

Rares, LSA1

Are you good at creating your own recipes? As you can see, our students are!



Hi!  
My name is Ingrid and it is my pleasure to present my new type of food: SHRITTO.  
It's named like this because it comes from burritos and shrimps, two of my favourite foods.

What is it?  
Shritto is a burrito filled with fresh shrimps, sliced fried bacon, green salad and white sauce.

Who is it designed for?  
This delicious and unusual burrito is designed for people who like sea food and Mexican food,

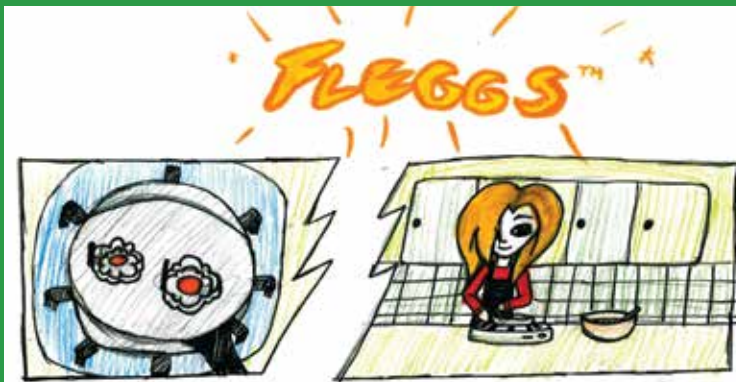
combined in a special flavour.

How much does it cost?  
This special burrito will cost 20 lei.

Where can you find it?  
You can find this unique and personalised burrito in two types of restaurants: sea food restaurants and Mexican restaurants.

I hope you will like it 😊 😊

Ingrid LSA2



Are you bored of the shape of your sunny-side-ups? Well, this is why we invented FLEGGs. The Fleggs are some flower-shaped sunny-side-ups, but they're no longer sunny-side-ups. They're flower-side-ups!

You should buy them because:

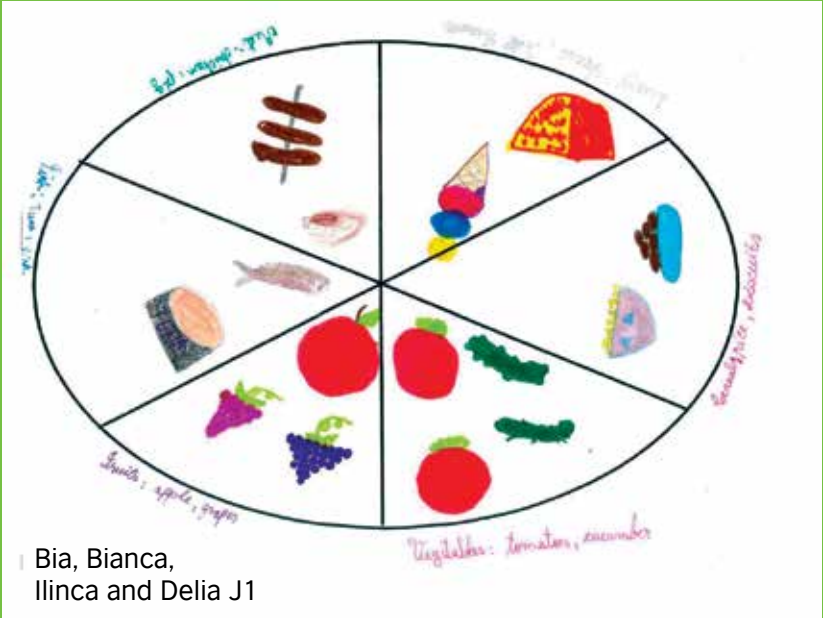
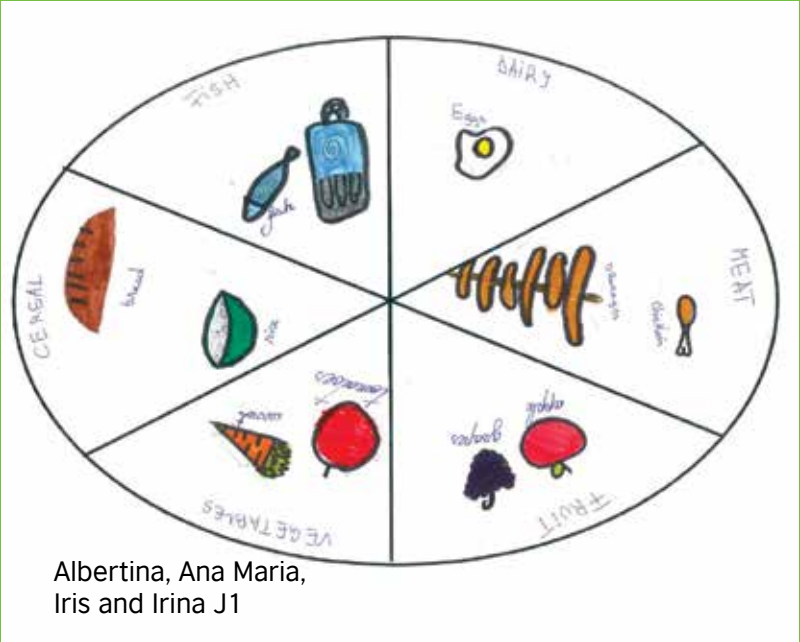
- If you work in a hotel or restaurant, your customers will be amazed  
When they see some flower-side-ups, and they will want to buy more!
- It will be easier to convince your children to eat eggs.
- They're multi-functional. You can use them for eggs or cookies!
- It's a real bargain – 10 fleggs for 5 euros.
- Aliens like it too!

Bianca and Maria LSB1



FOOD CHARTS

Learn about food groups with our J1s



with a difference ...



This restaurant is in Central Park in New York. Once you order food, you will enter a hot air balloon where you will eat.

Alexandra and Andreea LSA1

The hot air balloon flies above the park and you can see nature and tourists. This is a pleasant experience.

Animal, but still a fruit  
If you bite it, it still tastes good  
Fiery breath and spiky skin  
If you eat it, you will grin

Answer: dragonfruit

Elena and Lidia, LSB1

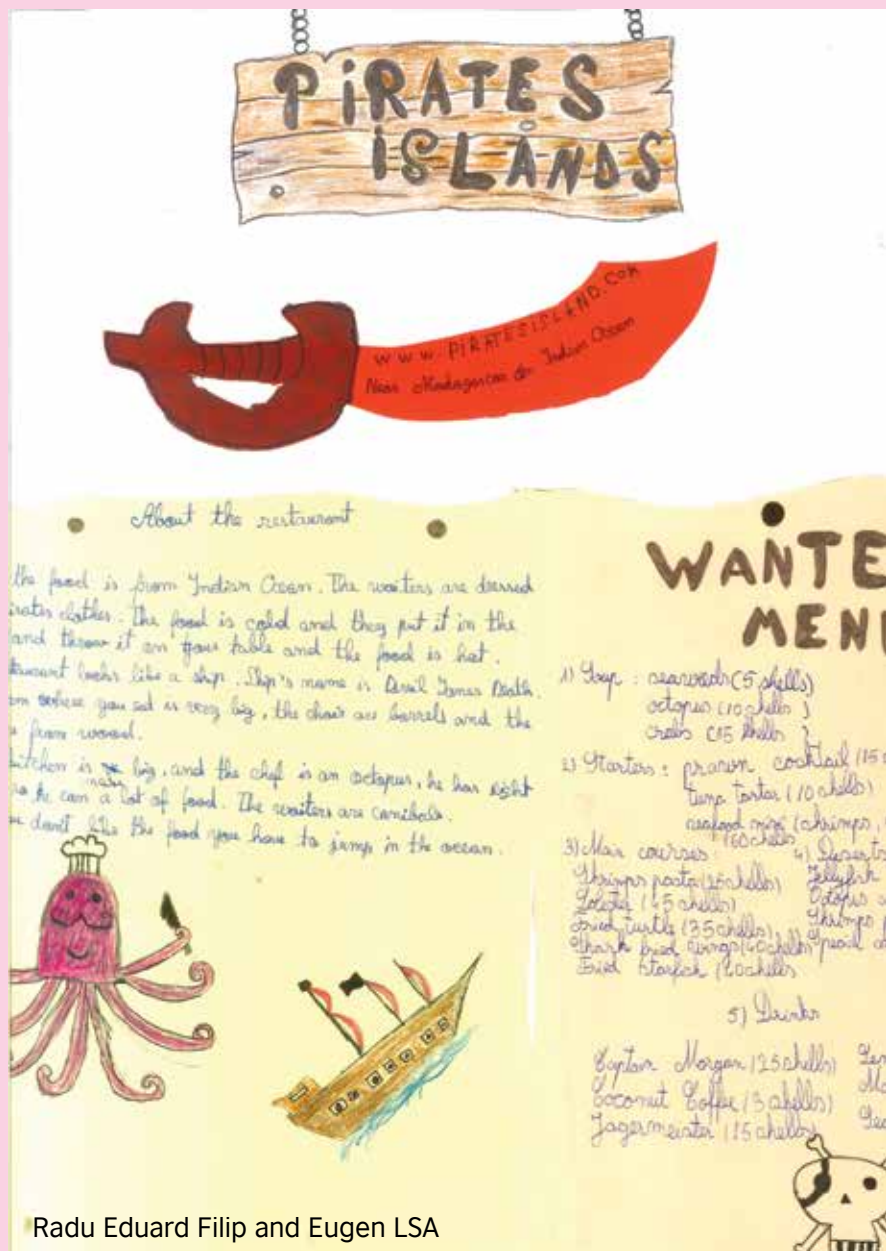
It's a yellow slice  
It's favourite for mice  
It's made of milk  
But it's not good to drink

Answer: cheese

Cezara and Andra, LSB1

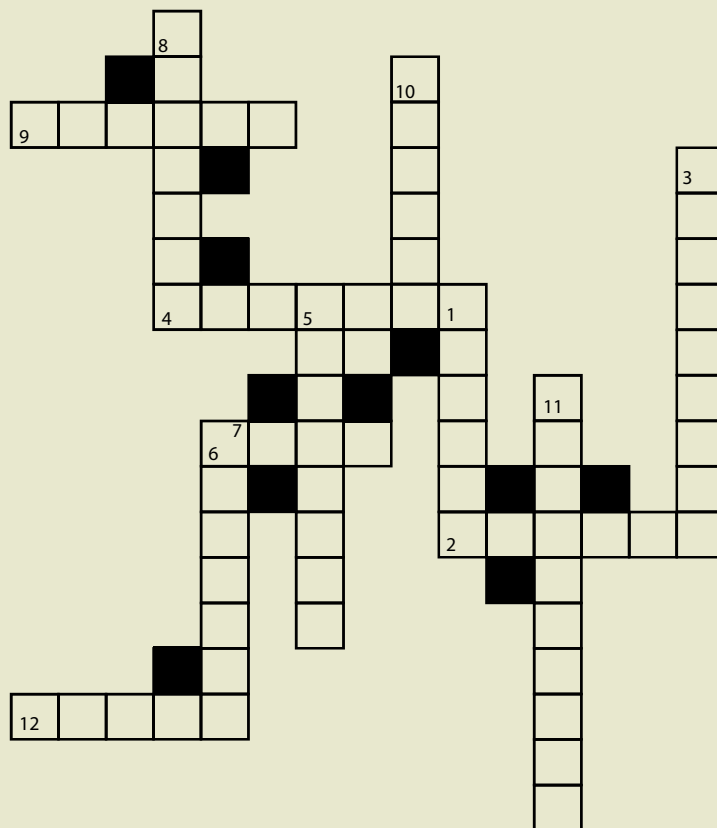
The food is from the Indian Ocean. The waiters are dressed in Pirates' clothes. The restaurant looks like a ship. The tables where you eat are very big, the chairs are barrels, and everything is made from wood.

The kitchen is big, and the chef is an octopus. He has eight arms, so he can cook a lot of food. If you don't like the food, you have to jump in the ocean.





# TRY THIS FOOD CROSSWORD



1. When you blush, you are as red as a \_\_\_\_\_.

2. A fruit with lots of vitamins.

3. An exotic fruit that's spiky.

4. A fruit with furry skin.

5. Something people love in the summer.

6. Chinese people grow it.

7. What do you call meat when it isn't cooked? (2 words)

8. A type of small orange.

9. A tea that is cold (2 words).

10. If you act dumb but cute you are called a \_\_\_\_\_.

11. A type of berry that has a lot of seeds.

12. It is said you should eat vegetables and \_\_\_\_\_ every day.

Answers: 1. Tomato, 2. Orange, 3. Pineapple, 4. Apricot, 5. Icecream, 6. Rice, 7. Rawmeat, 8. Satsuma, 9. Iced tea, 10. Potato, 11. Strawberry, 12. Fruit

Laura and Patricia LSB1

Some facts about what people eat in Britain

British food has traditionally been based on beef, lamb, pork, chicken and fish and generally served with potatoes and one other vegetable.

The British generally pay a lot of attention to good table manners. Even young children are expected to eat properly with knife and fork.



The puddings are made with: milk, sugar, eggs, flour and butter. The more traditional and well known home made puddings are apple or rhubarb crumble, bread and butter pudding, spotted dick and trifle.



We have three main meals a day:

- Breakfast - between 7:00 and 9:00,
- Dinner - (The main meal) - between 12:00 and 1:30 p.m..
- Lunch - between 12:00 and 1:30 p.m..

Tea

Britain is a tea-drinking nation. Every day we drink 165 million cups of the stuff and each year around 140 thousands tons of tea are imported.



Cheddar is our favourite, accounting for over 57% of the market and is bought regularly by 94% of households. It is a hard cheese with a strong, nutty taste.



Paul and Mario LSA

Spin me in the bowl  
Flop me on the bread  
Bite me like the world will end  
Tell me – do you know who I am?

Answer – nutella

Clara and Mara, LSB1

I'm a yellow fruit  
If you eat me, your face looks like a baby who is crying  
I'm really good on salmon, because my juice reduces the grease of salmon  
Eat me! I have vitamin C!

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Daria, Susan, LSA1







Mara J3